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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Responsive to the Office Action dated December 1, 2003, and having a shortened statutory period for response expiring March 1, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: